



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/001,802  
Applicant : Mei-Ling Wu et al.  
Filed : July 10, 2001  
Title : RECORDING MEDIUM WITH A  
LUBRICATING LAYER HAVING  
INCREASED THERMAL STABILITY  
TC/A.U. : 1773  
Examiner : Stevan A. Resan  
Docket No. : 284867-00040  
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of August 14, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.